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July 22, 2008

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission State Capitol Building 500 East Capitol Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Re:

Fuel Clause Adjustment

Docket No. EL08-

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Montana-Dakota), a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., herewith respectfully files a fuel adjustment, statement attached hereto, in accordance with its Fuel Clause Rate 58. The attached statement shows the following:

Cost/Kwh - 3 months ended June 30, 2008	\$0.023560
Base Cost/Kwh Included in Current Rates	0.014704
Increase(Decrease) from Base Cost	\$0.008856

Net Billing Adjustment after 90% Provision

\$0.007970

Montana-Dakota will, unless the Commission otherwise orders, apply the .7970 cents per Kwh to all bills rendered during the month of August 2008. This is an increase of .4545 cents from the July level.

Sincerely,

Rita O, Hulher

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Regulatory Analysis Manager

Attachment